



In re Application of: YAO et al.  
 Application No. 09/681,139  
 Filed: January 22, 2004  
 For: AUTOMATIC SERVER-SIDE PLUG-AND-PLAY WITHOUT USER INTERVENTION

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the Final office action dated March 26, 2004 in the subject application.

- ☐ Small entity status is claimed for this application under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for an extension of time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.
- ☐ Other:
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TIME EXTENSION PETITION FEE			none		\$ 0.00		\$ 0.00		
		subtract time extension fee previously paid		none		(\$ 0.00)		(\$ 0.00)	
CLAIM FEE		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216.
- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2112**

**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 212271  
Client Reference No. 141508.02

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Group Art Unit: 2112

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Examiner: Christopher E. Lee

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 26, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.